

## PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of

Alan K. Schaer

Examiner: R. S. Kearney

Group Art Unit: 3739

For: LINEAR ABLATION ASSEMBLY

Serial No.: 09/901,856

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO**  
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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed August 12, 2003, please amend the  
above-identified application as indicated below.